IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI OXFORD DIVISION

LINDA HOLMES PLAINTIFF

VS. CAUSE NUMBER: 3:19-CV-285-NBB-JMV

WALMART STORES, INC.

DEFENDANT

**ORDER STAYING CERTAIN PROCEEDINGS** 

Local Uniform Civil Rule 16(b)(1)(B) provides, "[a] motion to remand... court will stay

the attorney conference and disclosure requirements and all discovery not relevant to the

remand... issue and will stay the parties' obligation to make disclosures pending the court's ruling

on the motions..." L.U. Civ. R. 16(b)(1)(B) (emphasis added).

A motion to remand [7] has been filed. Therefore, staying all discovery, except discovery

concerning the remand issue, is appropriate at this time. Provided further, that should any party

desire to take remand-related discovery, it must file a motion to do so within seven (7) days hereof,

setting forth the specific discovery sought. If any party objects to the motion, it shall file an

objection within four (4) days following service of the motion.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that the aforementioned proceedings are hereby

STAYED, and the [5] case management conference shall be cancelled by further notice of the

court, pending a ruling on the motion to remand.

**SO ORDERED** this, Thursday, January 9, 2020.

/s/ Jane M. Virden

UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE